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From: Director, Systems Standardization Department, Naval Air Warfare Center Aircraft Division (Code 414200B120-3), Highway 547, Lakehurst, NJ 08733-5100

Subj: PROPOSED CANCELLATION OF MS20659, MS21004, MS25036, MS25274, AND MS27429 AND ADOPTION OF SAE-AS20659, SAE-AS21004, SAE-AS25274, AND SAE-AS27429 (PROJECT NUMBERS 5940-1451 THROUGH 1458)

1. In accordance with current Department of Defense policies concerning documents with both military and commercial applications, MS20659, MS21004, MS25036, MS25274, and MS27429 have been converted to SAE documents. The conversions have been done on a word-for-word basis.
2. Since its initial conversion, SAE has completed Revision A to SAE-AS20659. The other documents have been converted with no changes in technical requirements.
3. Cancellation notices for the military documents and adoption notices for the SAE documents have been prepared and are posted on the web at www.lakehurst.navy.mil/ssd. Copies of SAE documents have also been posted on this website for your information and review. A copy of the adoption notice for SAE-AS25036 is not posted on the web because the document is already DoD adopted.
4. Your comments or concurrence of this proposal are requested within 60 days of the date of this letter. Military activities should indicate custodian, review, or no interest, and designate any comments as "essential" or "suggested". Comments that are unidentified or not supported with justification will be considered as suggested. Failure to respond will be considered as concurrence with the proposed cancellation of the military documents and adoption of the SAE documents.
5. Replies should be forwarded by e-mail to dwight.tabit@navy.mil or by facsimile to (732)323-7228 or mailed to Commander, Naval Air Warfare Center Aircraft Division (Code 414200B120-3), Attn: Dwight Tabit, Highway 547, Lakehurst, NJ 08733-5100.
6. After cancellation of MS20659, MS21044, MS25036, MS25274, and MS27429 has been completed, the Naval Air Systems Command will continue to implement the qualification requirements in the specification until the Society of Automotive Engineers has established an acceptable qualification process. In the interim, the current Qualified Products List, QPL-AS7928, will be revised to correct errors and incorporate the superseding SAE documents.

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6. If further information is required, please contact Mr. Dwight Tabit on DSN 624-7438 or (732)323 7438.


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